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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS

Events Transpiring in and About Punta Gorda--Personal Mention

Today is the longest in the year.

Dr. G. S. Honeywell visited Ft. Ogden from Tuesday to last night.

A full line of staple and fancy groceries at A. P. Hatch's. (adv.)

Mrs. C. H. Chadwick and son, Charles, spent yesterday in Arcadia.

Light weight hats and caps at Kinsels. (adv.)

Mesdames C. G. Brown and I. F. Perkins and Miss Esther Oswald are spending the week with friends in Jacksonville.

New line of ladies hats at Kinsels. (adv.)

W. E. Mobley of the Seminole Pharmacy, is attending the meeting of the druggists of the state in Tampa, this week.

Arcadia last night sent seventy-four soldiers to the Black Point rendezvous near Jacksonville. They were given a great send-off by the citizens.

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Miss Pennington's music club meets at Mrs. Cooper's Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

Willoughby Whidden came up from Useppa, Tuesday, and spent a day with relatives and friends here.

Clothing, shoes and hats--latest styles--for men at R. C. Blount's. (adv.)

Mrs. H. C. Day, after several months spent here with the family of her brother, G. E. Bryant, left yesterday morning to return to her home in Brunswick, Ga.

C. A. Page's new cottage near the Methodist church is well under way, and as soon as completed Mr. and Mrs. Page will take up their residence therein.

Doctors recommend a vegetable diet. Griggs, the grocer, can supply it. He has also a variety of fine meat stuffs. (adv.)

Manager J. N. Sikes of the Punta Gorda Ice Co., was a visitor to Orlando, this week, attending the meeting of the Central Florida Highway Association and giving attention to business matters.

Miss Hazel Wakefield, who was the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Brown, at their home in Solana, during a two-weeks' visit here, left Sunday afternoon to return to her home in Jacksonville.

Hon. H. A. Ware and Mrs. Ware of Fort Ogden, came here in a boat, yesterday evening, spent the night and went home by rail this morning.

Having bought out the Home Bakery and consolidated the two bakeries, I am prepared to serve you better than before--Smith "The Baker." (adv.)

The directors of the Florida Citrus Exchange held a meeting in Tampa, yesterday, and elected C. E. Stewart of Volusia county, as general manager, to succeed L. D. Jones, resigned.

C. M. Carrier, just returned from a business trip to Buffalo and other northern points, left again yesterday afternoon for a similar trip to Jacksonville whence he may go elsewhere.

Mrs. H. Clay Chadwick, accompanied by her three children and her sister, Miss Yeager, left Tuesday for Louisville, Ky., where they will spend the summer.

After a pleasant visit here to her brother, Postmaster Geo. D. Rhode, Mrs. E. N. Barton, accompanied by her children, left Tuesday evening for her home in Lakeland.

State Bank Examiner E. P. Thagard was here Tuesday in his official capacity. His examination of the Punta Gorda Bank showed the institution to be in fine condition.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Douglas of Sebring, the former connected with the Sebring Bank, were recent visitors here, guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Blount for several days.

E. V. Camp, chief engineer of the H. S. Jaudon Engineering Co., was in the city yesterday on business connected with the public improvements being made here.

Dr. V. J. Jordan is absent from his office this week attending the meetings of the State Dental Association and Central Florida Highway Association in Orlando. He will be in his office again on and after next Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Carver went up to Lakeland, Sunday morning, where she visited her parents until yesterday, when she was joined by Dr. Carver for a three-week's visit to Jacksonville, Lake Butler and other upstate points.

Frank Cochran, an engineer of the Northwestern Railway, living in Chicago, and his brother, Morrey Cochran, who is attached to the United States naval station at Key West, arrived here during the past week, having been summoned on account of the serious illness of their father, Dr. Grove Cochran, who has been suffering from some bronchial ailment. Since their arrival, their father's condition has greatly improved and he is now considered out of danger. The visitors are brothers of Charles Cochran and of Mrs. R. C. Addison.

H. L. Baker, one of the engineers of the H. S. Jaudon Engineering Co., who has been on the street improvement work here, left yesterday morning to report with the Gainesville company of the National Guard, in which he is a lieutenant, for duty on the Mexican border.

Editor R. H. Glenn of the Fort Pierce News, with Mrs. Glenn and two children, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Sturdy, Mrs. Glenn and Mrs. Sturdy being sisters. Miss Wanda Glenn prolongs her visit here, her parents and younger sister having returned home.

Capt. C. E. Bearce of the B. & B. Construction Co. of Captiva, was at home here the first of the week having just returned from Tampa, where he bought machinery for a new steam pile driver his company is getting in readiness for some of the contracts the captain has lined up. He says he has a fine lot of business in prospect.

W. R. Eubank left yesterday evening for San Antonio, Texas, where he will be engaged for possibly a year, when he hopes to return to Punta Gorda. Mrs. Eubank and daughter Vera, left at the same time for Lexington, Ky., whence, after a month's visit to kindred and friends, they will go to San Antonio to join Mr. Eubank. The departure of this excellent family is deeply regretted by their many friends here, who, however, hope for their return in the not distant future.

The diving tower, just finished, is an adjunct to the new bath house, that will prove a great attraction. It is sufficiently high to meet the requirements of the most expert divers, and with platforms about six feet apart from the water up every one can use it, diving from from such height as is preferred. Already some of the young men are developing into adept high divers, viz: Willie Reeves, Chas. Cochran, Raymond Reed and others. Chas. Cochran deserves the credit for getting up the funds and having the tower constructed.

At the regular meeting of the local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star held Friday night, two of the members were treated to a delightful surprise. After the business session, Rev. T. H. Sistrunk, on behalf of Mrs. C. W. Shaw, worthy matron, called up Mesdames J. N. Sikes and A. P. Jordan, past worthy matrons, and, in behalf of the chapter, presented each with a beautiful past worthy matron's pin. Besides this, delicate refreshments were served in honor of the two ladies, who were so surprised and delighted that they could scarcely find words to express their appreciation.

Lakeland Telegram--Gilchrist says he hopes his defeat will prove a blessing in disguise, but adds that he doesn't like disguises any too well. Gilchrist's inexhaustible fund of good nature makes everybody his friends, even though some may not be able at all times to give him political support.

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